

Trade Conference

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—The U.S. loan to Britain makes an Imperial trade conference inevitable, the Sydney Morning Herald's political correspondent said today.

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Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Tuesday: Cloudy in morning, moderately warm, moderate to strong southwest winds. Temperature noon Monday, 55. Sunday's Temperatures — Min. 47; Max. 64. Sunshine: 11 hours 12 minutes.

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## Loggers' Dispute Inquiry Opens Tomorrow

### Oak Bay Makes Bid For Willows

#### Acceptance Of \$85,000 Offer By City Likely

Acceptance of an offer from Oak Bay municipality to purchase Willows Fairgrounds for \$85,000 was recommended to this afternoon's City Council meeting by Ald. Edward Williams, chairman of the city finance committee.

Decision to recommend acceptance of the Oak Bay offer came after a meeting of the finance committee today.

In the letter making the offer Reeve Walter Walker of Oak Bay stated: "The Council of the Municipality of Oak Bay believes that to pre-empt the purpose for which the Willows property has been used for the past several years is detrimental to the use and welfare of the surrounding residential area, and on behalf of the Council I wish to submit an offer of \$85,000 for the property known as the 'Exhibition Grounds.'

Reeve Walker said that in the event of sale the municipality of Oak Bay intends to develop the area under modern town planning methods, or "in other words, to develop the property for residences with due regard for open spaces suitable as playgrounds for the young and the enjoyment of the adult population."

He stated that the Oak Bay Council hopes favorable consideration will be given to this offer, which would "settle a vexed question to the satisfaction not only of the ratepayers of Oak Bay but of those of Greater Victoria as a whole."

The offer is subject to the requirements of the Municipal Act, he pointed out.

Acceptance of the offer by the City Council will mean that the

question of the purchase and sale will have to go to the ratepayers of both Oak Bay and the city, and then approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, Ald. Williams said.

The Oak Bay offer is \$10,000 above that made by S. W. Randall of the Colwood Racing Association, who had proposed turning the fairgrounds into a sports centre and continuing racing there.

However, he wanted assurance that Oak Bay would not insist upon strict enforcement of its racing by-laws which would bring the cost of renovating present buildings and erecting new ones prohibitively high.

#### RACING OPTION

The Colwood Racing Association, however, still has the option of deciding whether or not it is prepared to meet the \$85,000 price offered by Oak Bay. In addition the association has an additional three months' tenancy of the Willows Grounds after completion of the sale. This will ensure racing at Willows this year.

A short time ago the Council turned down an offer from a Vancouver real estate firm to purchase Willows for \$70,295 on the grounds that the price was not high enough and the other concessions asked by the firm were too many.

Lewis' claim involved overtime payment he said was due to those workers who worked a full week during the weeks in which Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year holidays occurred.

#### LATEST

#### \$3,000,000 Back Pay For Miners

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soft coal operators today agreed to pay \$3,000,000 in back pay to miners, clearing the way for discussions of key issues in the deadlocked negotiations.

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#### To Depart May 29

VANCOUVER (CP) — The ships Marine Angel and General Gordon will carry the 1,500 Japanese repatriates leaving Vancouver May 29, it was announced here today. There will be government officials aboard to direct the repatriation movement.

#### Mother On Trial

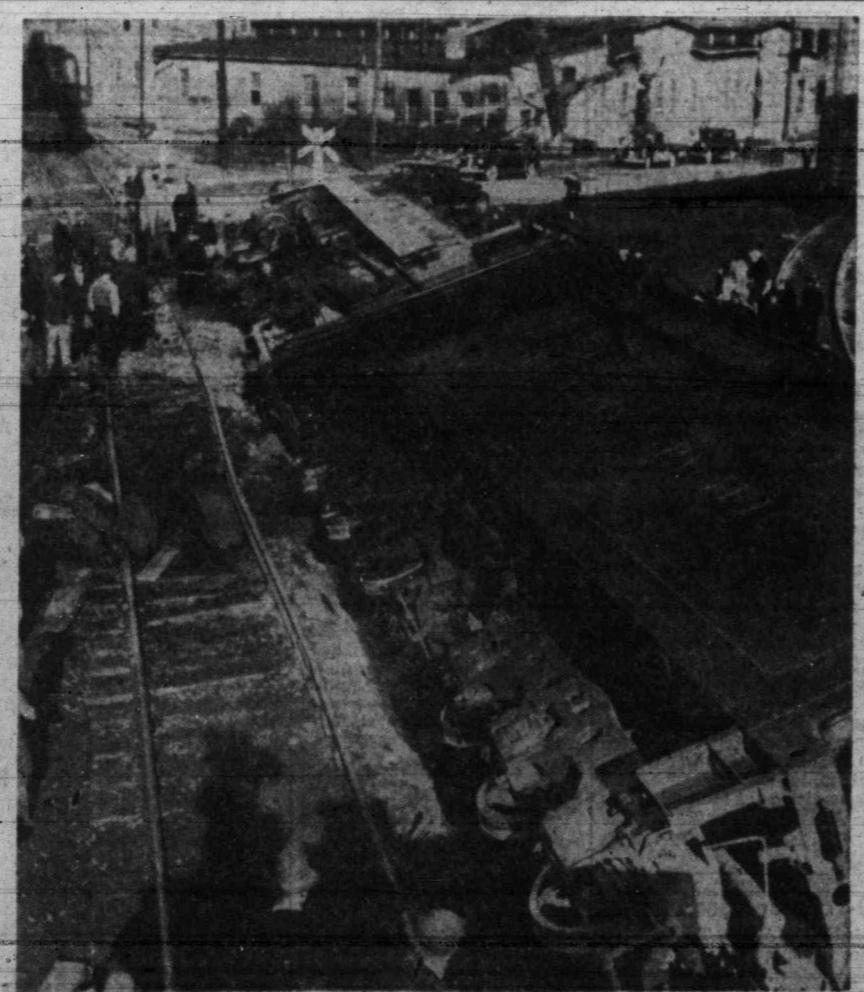
WINNIPEG (CP) — Mrs. Margaret Knight, 38, charged with the murder of her husband, Henry Knight, in their Winnipeg home last March 30, went on trial before Mr. Justice W. L. Bonovan and a jury here today. Mother of five children, Mrs. Knight is accused of stabbing her husband with a meat knife during a quarrel.

#### Want Highway Open

WASHINGTON (AP) — Plans to expedite negotiations with Canada for reopening the Alaska Military Highway to civilian traffic were discussed with President Truman today by Senator Warren Magnuson (Dem., Wash.). Mr. Truman suggested he enlist the support of James F. Byrnes, Secretary of State, when he returns from the four-power conference in Paris.

#### 6 Germans Held

NUERNBERG (AP) — Six German civilians, all men, have been arrested by military police scouring the suburban area for clues in Friday's fatal shooting of two U.S. soldiers in a jeep. The six were unable to explain their presence in the area.



WRECK IN ONTARIO—Hitting an open switch after leaving the station at Renfrew the Transcontinental Limited locomotive, tender and refrigerator car overturned and ploughed into the earth. The crew crawled out uninjured. Crowds were beginning to gather when the above picture was taken.

#### Japanese War Crimes Trial



This is a glimpse of the courthouse in Tokyo where 28 ex-military, naval and political leaders of Japan are on trial before Allied judges. Hideki Tojo, former premier, is indicated by the arrow. See story "Challenge of Court's Authority," Page 3.

#### Lunan, Alleged Canadian Spy Leader Elects Speedy Trial; Mazerall Argues

OTTAWA (CP) — Gordon Lunan, 30, alleged "head" of a cell of Russian agents, today elected speedy trial before a county court judge on espionage charges.

Tentatively, his date of trial was set for May 31. He was the first to elect speedy trial among 12 persons charged here with spy activities.

In the Ontario Supreme Court, Chief Justice J. C. McRuer listed the argument by defence counsel for a change of venue or adjournment of the hearing of Edward W. Mazerall. The Chief Justice declined both.

Mazerall was the first to appear among a group of alleged agents in a Russian network who were to be arraigned this morning.

A 30-year-old native of Fredericton, Mazerall faces two charges of breaking the Official Secrets Act and one of conspiring to break that act.

ADVERSE PUBLICITY

R. A. Hughes, defence counsel, said the "widespread adverse" publicity and its effect on the people of the County of Carleton supported his appeal for a

change of venue. Where the accused was a former government employee, consideration should be given to the fact that so many of those people were civil servants who might be prejudiced.

Mr. Hughes said he would make the same application in the cases of Sqn. Ldr. F. W. Poland and M. S. Nightingale.

The Chief Justice then considered a lengthy affidavit from Mr. Hughes. Newspaper clippings were attached to it.

#### SOUGHT INFORMATION

When he finished, Mr. Hughes told efforts to get information about conferences of the Commonwealth and Empire radio and civil aviation organization. So far he had only been informed by the Crown of a Department of Transport official who, however, might not have information about two particular points. He wanted to stress further, the competency of this official might be challenged by the Crown.

Mr. Hughes said the Crown alleged that Mazerall had given Lunan, for the Russian embassy, two reports on radar range and distance indicators. The evidence was that he had done this July

MONTRÉAL (CP) — Between gasps for breath, Louis Arthur Levesque, 23, fighting for his life in a hospital after being shot through the chest by police Friday, asked his gunman companion, Jean Marcel Brunet 27, captured singlehanded by Det. Sgt. Joseph Bedard Saturday night, if he had shot it out.

"No, he would have killed me," replied Brunet.

Brunet was taken by police escort Sunday to meet the first captured half of the notorious gun team, which exchanged shots with municipal and provincial police four times before being split up by the shooting of Levesque and captured singly.

Levesque is still being given blood transfusions in the hospital, where he was taken late Friday in critical condition when brought down by Detective Jerry Lawton in a gun-battle in a north-end lane. Brunet escaped on foot and remained at liberty for about another 30 hours.

He was spotted on a busy north-central street corner Saturday night by Detective Bedard, who slipped up beside the gunman with revolver drawn. Brunet, known in the underworld as "Ti-Mine," hesitated a minute before he raised his hands.

#### 2-Cent Subsidy On Milk Unchanged

OTTAWA (CP) — The current subsidy of two cents a quart on the retail price of fluid milk is in no way connected with subsidies which are under discussion between milk producers and the government, Prices Board officials said today.

The producers recently lodged complaints with the government against a reduction in subsidies which was effective May 1. The subsidies, which reverted from winter to summer rates, are paid by the Agriculture Department. The two-cent subsidy, on the other hand, is a Prices Board subsidy paid through the Commodity Prices Stabilization Board, National of Quebec.

#### Compromise May Round Out Ruhr Discussion

PARIS (AP) — A compromise on French demands for dismantlement of the Ruhr arsenal from Germany appeared possible today as the Big Four Foreign Ministers reassembled in an effort to resolve their remaining points of disagreement—including the Italian peace treaty.

A well-informed French source stated the germ of a possible compromise was contained in a recent British proposal said to suggest some form of federation for the Ruhr region.

The British and Americans have opposed France's demand for complete political separation of the Ruhr from the Reich under international political control, and have proposed establishment of economic control instead.

In any event, this informant continued, French acceptance of such a federation plan would depend upon the satisfactory working out of details and international economic control would be insisted upon.

Proposal of a 25-year four-power mutual assistance pact to assure German disarmament made by State Secretary Byrnes of the United States, was received warmly by the French, but an authorized French spokesman declared flatly it was not in itself a sufficient guarantee against further German aggression.

It would work, one French source said, only so long as the Big Four remained in complete agreement.

The ministers still are deadlocked on the major items of the Italian treaty—reparations, colonies and the disputed port of Trieste—but compromise solutions seemed within reach on all except the Trieste issue.

#### Prime Minister King On Way To London

NEW YORK (CP) — Prime Minister King arrived today from Ottawa en route to London for the Commonwealth conferences. Mr. King will sail tonight aboard the liner Queen Mary.

With him were Norman Robertson, Under-Secretary of State; A. A. Gardiner, general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, and others of the Prime Minister's personal staff.

Mr. King had nothing to say to reporters except that he was pleased to have such a pleasant day for his sailing.

#### Flag Favorites



Above are shown two designs which are receiving much attention as the Parliamentary committee proceeds with its eliminations in preparation for its report and recommendations of the Commons. The upper design, Union Jack in the canton and maple leaf in the fly, is said to be leading. Lower, the flag divided into triangles of red and white with a green maple leaf in the center, is favored by M.P.s of Quebec. That design was submitted by La Ligue du Drapeau, National of Quebec.

#### All Sides Asked To Help Arrive At Settlement

Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan will open an inquiry into the dispute between 37,000 British Columbia woodworkers and operators at 10:30 Tuesday morning at the Court House here.

Appointment of Chief Justice Sloan, who early this year presented a lengthy report on the forest resources of the province to the B.C. government, was announced Saturday in Ottawa by Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell. The Chief Justice's inquiry will cover all phases of the dispute which arose over questions of wages, hours of work and union security during negotiations for a new agreement between the International Woodworkers of America and representatives of the lumber operators.

Meanwhile in Vancouver both, with the commissioners in settling L.W.A. executive officers and R. V. Stuart, representing the operators, have announced their intention to meet Chief Justice Sloan.

#### STRIKE POSSIBILITY

Nevertheless a strike starting at 11 Wednesday morning is still a possibility.

Harold Pritchett, district president of the union, said that if no satisfactory settlement were reached before the deadline, the union would not change its plans for the general walkout.

"We are not going to change our plans but we are certainly going to Victoria to co-operate

#### Spanish Republic Chief Would Show U.N. Franco World Menace

NEW YORK (AP) — Prime Minister Jose Giral, Spanish Republican circles said Mr. Giral probably would tell the sub-committee that failure of the Security Council to act against the Franco regime might result in another civil war in Spain.

One of Mr. Giral's associates, Gen. Jose Asensio, former secretary of war in the Republican government, indicated evidence would be submitted to show Franco was engaged in atomic research.

Meanwhile, a U.N. spokesman said the Security Council probably would be called into session Thursday to take up the proposal that the council delay action on requests for U.N. membership pending study of qualifications and procedure by a sub-committee and hear a report of the council's committee of experts on rules and procedure.

#### U.S. Coal Miners Go Back To Work

WASHINGTON (AP) — The coal-pinch United States breathed somewhat easier today as the bulk of John L. Lewis' 400,000 striking miners except for holdouts in Pennsylvania headed back to their pits under a two-week truce.

This was the overall picture:

1. Restrictions on freight, express and parcel post shipments came off at midnight, hours before the first full crews descended into the mines to end the 42-day shutdown.

2. Other conservation measures—including tight controls over all coal to be produced during the truce—remained in effect.

3. The Government prodded miners and operators alike to reach a swift agreement on a new contract, but both sides said privately there was little hope of

#### Blanket Of Snow Covers Calgary

EDMONTON (CP) — A cold front pushing southward brought unseasonable snow to Calgary, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat and intermediate Alberta points Sunday night and today it was still snowing in Calgary though the flakes were melting as they fell.

Calgary had a three-inch blanket of snow during the night when the minimum temperature dropped to 34, but a rising mercury quickly melted the fall.

Edmonton had no snow and a cloudy sky was clearing this morning with prospects of warmer weather with a high temperature of 55 degrees. It was cloudy but clearing in the Red Deer region and snow that fell in the Lethbridge area stopped this morning.

#### No Ration Hints For U.S. So Far

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman called on Herbert Hoover for a food survey in South America as his special ambassador today, but gave no hint of an early return to food rationing in this country.

The former president told reporters after he had conferred with Mr. Truman that he wanted to stay out of the "domestic controversy" over rationing.

And from Herbert Morrison, Lord President of the Council in Britain, came a denial that he planned to ask President Truman for a return to rationing of meats and fats in this country.

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## Mill Bay Guards Foreshore Rights

MILL BAY—The Community League at a general meeting here forwarded a resolution to the government asking that no foreshore rights be granted in the area to any individual.

The meeting discussed condition of parts of the lower highway and decided to appoint a committee to bring matters requiring attention to the notice of the provincial authorities.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

A number of good laundered shirts, small sizes. Two small-size sturdy boxes for storage or traveling. New titles in books. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 737 Pandora. \*\*\*

Attend the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., hospital tea, Nurses' Home, Royal Jubilee Hospital, 3 to 5 p.m., May 15. Attentive program, Tea 35c. \*\*\*

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Dr. C. B. Jameson, recently discharged from overseas, announces the opening of a dental practice at Room 511, Scollard Building. Phone E 5134. \*\*\*

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## Duncan, Cowichan Building Boom

DUNCAN—One hundred and six permits representing a construction value of \$188,362 were issued in Duncan and North Cowichan this year to date, as compared with 85 permits for construction amounting to \$48,982 last year.

The trend is toward new construction in both areas with Duncan permits representing \$88,515 and North Cowichan \$89,847.

Recent permits issued in Duncan follow: J. H. Braten, \$700 addition to shop on Station Street; I. P. Dobyn, \$2,500 addition to residence on Station Street; H. M. Hankins, \$2,000 residence, Trunk Road; and E. W. Lee, contractor, \$4,000 addition or dining-room to Commercial Hotel, Duncan Street.

Recently taken out at the office of North Cowichan municipality were: R. E. Pywell, \$1,000 residence, Quamichan; F. W. Holmes, \$1,000 residence, Comikane; C. P. Deykin, \$1,500 interior alterations, Comikane; D. M. Bolton, \$2,000 house, Semomenis; Mrs. E. F. Williams, \$500 woodshed, etc., Chemainus; K. P. Sewell, \$500 shed, Chemainus; F. W. Holmes for A. Befus, \$800 house, Quamichan; Victoria Lumber Co. Ltd., for L. A. Morrison, \$2,000 house, Chemainus; G. K. Hobson, \$500 addition to house, Quamichan; and Jim Buckner, \$2,800 house, Chemainus.

Ladysmith Plans Gala 'Welcome Home'

LADYSMITH—Community Welcome Home Committee will stage a gala party for returned servicemen and women of the district Saturday.

The banquet will begin at 7:45 and a dance at 9:30. Mayor E. Jameson of Ladysmith, Sam Guthrie, M.L.A., and W. W. Wakem will be among special visitors attending.

Of the number of persons joining the forces from the district, 23 were unable to be traced, two are still overseas and nine still with the navy.

Cut Up Motor Tug For Shipment North

Cutting up of the 120-foot motor tug Atomic has begun at Yarrow's Ltd. and workmen will begin loading sections aboard freight cars Tuesday in preparation for shipment to the owners, Northern Transportation Co., Waterways, Alberta, Fraser B. McConnell, public relations manager at Yarrow's said today.

Mr. McConnell estimated nearly 20 freight cars would be needed to ship the parts to Waterways, where the vessel will be reassembled and launched. The tug is a shallow draft vessel, powered by twin-screw diesel engines.

S. Coronation Park is due in at Yarrow's today for annual overhaul, and Mewata Park is due in shortly for scraping and painting.

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## British Cabinet Mission Still Hopes To Solve Indian Problem

SIMLA, India (AP) — The British cabinet mission, admitting failure of an eight-day conference with Moslem and Hindu leaders on independence for India, made it plain today it still has hopes of solving the problem. The conference ended in a complete breakdown Sunday.

Two communiques—one jointly by the cabinet mission, the Moslem League and the Congress Party the other by the cabinet mission alone—gave no reason for the collapse.

It added, however, the breakdown "does not in any way bring to an end the mission with which we were charged by His Majesty's government and the British people."

The statement added the mission and the Viceroy, Lord Wavell, would go to Delhi Tuesday and would issue a statement in a few days on "the next steps to be taken."

The joint communique by the mission and the two Indian factions said "no use would be served by further discussions and that therefore the conference should be brought to a conclusion."

### Victoria Officer of R.C.M.P. Honored

LONDON (Reuters) — The Royal Geographical Society announced Saturday its founders' medal for 1945 had been awarded to Dr. Charles Camstell, Canadian Deputy Minister of Mines and Resources, for his contribution to the geology and geography of the Canadian north and for his work in advancing geographical science in the Dominion.

The Patron's Medal for 1946 is awarded to Sub-Inspector Henry Larsen of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for his achievement of the North West Passage in the schooner Saint Roch from west to east in 1940-42 and from east to west in one season in 1944.

### Dance At Luxton

LUXTON — Progressive 500 followed by a dance was enjoyed by members of the B.C. Government Employees' Association in Luxton Hall.

Awards were made to Mrs. Arthur Turner, Mrs. Albert Silman, Mrs. Arthur Baxter, J. W. Thompson and F. J. Willway. In charge of arrangements were: Gordon Cosh, Joseph Sears, Albert Silman, Tommy Kershaw and Harold Balley.



**POLISH AMBASSADOR ARRIVES IN OTTAWA**—A man who is a young boy worked in the coal mines of Pennsylvania and in the textile mills of New York today represents Poland in Canada. He is Dr. Alfred J. Fiderkiewicz, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, who has arrived in Ottawa to take up his new post. He is shown with his wife.

### Voters Views Unchanged Since Last Election In Dominion

By Canadian Institute of Public Opinion

TORONTO—Nothing less exciting than an election can disturb the even tenor of Canada's political thought, judging from the attitude of voters since the federal election of June, 1945. Since that time, the institute's continuing poll of political sentiment has not fluctuated for any one political party, more than three points—

Traditionally, when a nation is undergoing dramatic changes from war to peace economy, major shifts in the support behind various political parties takes place—as in Britain. But such shifts have not occurred in Canada. There is, of course, no saying what the "churning" effect of an election battle would be on political opinion.

The course of party strengths is shown in the following table which, in addition to the findings of the Gallup Poll, includes actual election results for the 1940 and 1945 federal elections:

Lib.	Prog.	Cons.	C.C.F.	Bloc Pop.	Others
%	%	%	%	%	%
1940 election	55	31	8	—	6
Jan., 1942	55	30	10	—	5
Sept., 1942	39	23	21	—	17
Feb., 1943	32	27	23	7	11
Sept., 1943	28	28	29	9	6
Jan., 1944	30	29	24	9	8
Sept., 1944	36	27	24	5	8
Jan., 1945	36	28	22	6	8
April, 1945	36	29	20	6	9
Election Forecast					
(June 9, 1945)	39	29	17	5	10
Election (June 11, 1945)	41	29	15	3	12
Nov., 1945	44	26	17	4	9
Jan., 1946	45	24	16	5	10
Today	44	26	16	5	9

The national figures shown above reflect a static position in the various areas of Canada. The institute reports show no major changes in the political sentiment of the various provinces.

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### Dominoes Guests At Civic Dinner

Members of the Victoria Dominos, recent winners of the Canadian senior men's basketball championship in the national final against Assumption College at Windsor, Saturday were the guests at a civic luncheon at

the Empress Hotel. Mayor George acted as chairman with members of the City Council in attendance.

On behalf of the City Mayor George extended congratulations to the players. "We are both proud of your wonderful achievement and your success as young Canadians, especially Victorians," he said. "You have proven yourself as upright, clean-living young men and I also want to express our appreciation for the wonderful advertising you have given the city across the Dominion."

Team manager Dave Nicol expressed the appreciation of the team, to the Mayor and members of the council for their support during the past season. Chuck Chapman, team captain, thanked the City for the entertaining the team and also expressed the appreciation of the players to the Victoria fans for the wonderful support they accorded the team.

### R.A.M.C. Veteran On Leave

Maj. Donald M. Thomson, R.A.M.C., has arrived in Victoria to spend a two-month furlough with his parents after 11 years' absence from Canada. Son of Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Thomson, 1606 Yale Street, Maj. Thomson served as a civilian doctor in London during the blitz and then in the R.A.M.C. in the Normandy campaign and in India.

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FOOD AND THOUGHT

**THE VITAL POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE**  
of the world food crisis is underscored in dispatches relating to the arrival of Hon. Herbert Morrison, Britain's Lord President of the Council, in Washington. The gravity of the situation from that point of view needs little laboring. Since the threat of famine first gained prominence in the war-torn world, the influence of the condition on national policies in lands of scarcity has been emphasized.

A hungry people often is an angry people. Their thinking is influenced largely by the provision they seek to make for subsistence. Their efforts toward rehabilitation, toward the re-establishment of administrative systems are primarily concerned with the immediate—securing food. Under such circumstances long-range planning is difficult. Yet the hand which offers the means of life is most likely to be the hand which will direct the course a hungry nation is to pursue. These conditions throw added burdens on the democracies. To encourage the way of life for which their men fought, they must prove their efficiency through a demonstration of the ability to feed the starving.

This is the situation as the representatives of countries which are major food producers allot available supplies to stave off famine in different lands. It is a grim business. As countless authorities have pointed out, it is less a matter of distributing largesse than one of determining who shall live and who shall die from want.

It is flattering to hear repetitions of the statement that Canada has done virtually all possible to send cereals and other foodstuffs to the needy. But such tribute is no occasion for complacency. It is still possible that this Dominion—which is concerned with what it shall eat, not if it shall eat—may undergo further belt tightening to assist those who face death unless productive countries expand the export of their production.

Such action may meet with superficial objection. No one likes to be denied the delicacies produced in his own nation. But if the authorities call for more from this Dominion, it is inconceivable that their appeal will go without a satisfactory response. Canadians are beginning to realize that reports and figures on famine are not mere statistics in which they can take only an academic interest. They appreciate the fact that the appalling numbers of potential casualties are men, women and children. When they relate the condition in which inhabitants of large sections of the globe find themselves to their own flesh and blood, humanitarian impulses force them to approval of domestic sacrifices which have, to date, been largely inconsequential. When they weigh the vital international developments which rest in the balance, they find further reason to exert themselves.

INDIAN CONFERENCE FAILS

**A AGREEMENT BETWEEN HINDU AND**  
A Muslim on India's future status, inside or outside the British Commonwealth, appears to be about as far off as ever. The three members of the British cabinet who have just ended an eight-day conference in Simla with the leaders of the two conflicting racial elements had hoped face-to-face discussions would help to demolish some of the old prejudices. They were encouraged particularly, of course, when last Thursday evening Mr. Jinnah, the head of the Muslim League, and Pandit Nehru, president-elect of the Congress-Party, engaged in direct negotiations with each other for the first time. Hitherto, even at the same conference table, their exchanges had been through the British delegates.

While today's statement is a plain admission that the conference must be considered a failure, the breakdown does not terminate the mission with which three cabinet ministers "were charged by His Majesty's government and the British people." The trio will proceed to New Delhi tomorrow, accompanied by the Viceroy, and from there issue a statement in a few days on "the next steps to be taken." To speculate on this move and the prospects it may hold out would be foolish. In meantime, however, it is to be hoped that the "experts" on India in this and other countries will not further confuse the issue by prescribing new formulas for settlement. For the old conflict still remains: About 90,000,000 Muslims want Pakistan; about 250,000,000 Hindus will have none of it!

BEGORRA, NO!

**P PROVINCIAL OPPOSITION LEADER**  
Harold Winch intimated to the C.C.F. nominating convention in Point Grey last week that the only real intelligence in the Legislature of British Columbia resided in himself and those who support him. For that reason, if for no other, he was anxious that the two vacant Vancouver seats should be occupied after the pending contest by adherents to this own political philosophy. With a dozen Socialists in the House instead of 10, therefore, such doubtful grey matter as the other 36 members might possess

would pale into complete insignificance. All of which no doubt was sweet music in the ears of his audience.

But Mr. Winch expanded his fantasy; he gazed into the crystal ball. There he saw strange things. Had not Mr. Hart, at long last, surrendered his precious portfolio of finance—and surrendered it, too, to the Conservative member of the Coalition administration who in the days of fruitless partizan wranglings had been the present Premier's most relentless critic? Would he have done so, reasoned the opposition leader, unless something important were afoot? Surely not: thus Mr. Winch let his followers into the "dark secret." Mr. Hart would go to the Senate in the fall—presumably a disappointed and sadly-disillusioned man, a government head who could not stand the graft, who could not marshal sufficient intelligence among his majority following to match the superlative mental equipment of a mere handful of C.C.F.-ers! Evidently the provincial Socialist leader thinks the presiding genius of the Coalition should remain in Canada; for he ignored the other equally stupid rumor that Mr. Mackenzie King had his eye on British Columbia's Premier for the embassy in Elie.

On reflection, of course, it is small wonder that Mr. Winch would draw the line somewhere. Who ever heard of an Irishman a quitter? Soon after he formed his Coalition administration, Mr. Hart began to outline policies which had been in his mind for many years, policies which coincided with his concept of British Columbia as an important provincial unit in the national war effort; and just before the general election last October the Premier pointed with justifiable pride to practical accomplishment of no mean order. And these achievements, moreover, represented the solid background on which he rested the promise of an expanding program of provincial development. He presented it to the people for their consideration; the people endorsed it because they trusted its architect to build the superstructure on the strong foundation which he had fashioned with such meticulous care.

Surely, then, Mr. Winch should know that the last thought in his principal parliamentary opponent's mind is to run away from the job with which the people of the progressive province of British Columbia have entrusted him—especially as he asked them to do so. Again, begorra, "the Leitrim boy" is no quitter.

NOT MERELY PUNISHMENT

**A LTHOUGH THE LEGALISTIC ARGUMENT** presented by the defence in the trial of Japanese war criminals will be taken in many quarters as hair-splitting, determination of the issues raised may well serve a valuable purpose in the creation of precedent. According to Ichiro Kiyose, chief of defence counsel, the court has jurisdiction to prosecute those guilty of violating accepted laws and customs of war, but lacks authority to hold the defendants responsible for inciting war and for mistreatment of Allied prisoners.

The defence presumably has failed to recognize a fundamental element in the work of tribunals now sitting in judgment against the leaders of nations which plunged the world into conflict. Their role is not only that of agents to mete out just punishment for heinous crimes, but to establish a course of action calculated to discourage forces of aggression, visible and concealed, which can realize their ends only through war. The trial procedure was established in the clear knowledge that it was breaking fresh ground. It will operate in Japan as it has in Europe, setting precedent and putting teeth into what, formerly, have been little more than pious condemnations of those interests whose activities have bred international strife.

The exception taken to this phase of the court's duties in the Orient should serve to impress upon the Asiatic member of the now defunct Axis the retribution in store not only for brutal commanders in the field, but for those who worked behind the active forces and used them in the hope of achieving their nefarious objectives.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S CHOICE

**A NATIONAL CONVENTION IS TO BE** held in Newfoundland to decide what form of administration she wishes to have after 12 years rule by commission. This body must decide between three choices—self-government, representative government and confederation with Canada, all of which are now being widely discussed. It is understood there is a trend toward confederation with Canada; but the Newfoundlanders are not certain of the Dominion's policies in this connection.

The Commission which has had charge of Newfoundland's administration since 1934 replaced the House of Assembly, which was elected, and the Legislative Council appointed by the Crown, which had been functioning since 1855. The Commission was decidedly undemocratic in that the people of the oldest colony had no voice in their own affairs. The war bequeathed a full measure of prosperity to Newfoundland and today, instead of looking to Britain for financial aid, she is proud of the fact that she has been able to advance interest-free loans to the Motherland. The question seems to be how long will this condition continue?

Good citizens lost to this Dominion are a worse loss than a fall in trade. We make a clamor about the one and ignore the other. Yet the best wealth is—people.

Congress Outlook

By W. R. CLARK

WASHINGTON

A DJOURNMENT of Congress has been set tentatively for early in July which means a dozen or more important bills will automatically die unless the houses are reconvened after a short summer recess. But a reconvening is considered here as almost out of the question because already the members are eager to get to their home states for the election campaign. They will certainly resist any effort to have them return in the final months. Only an extreme emergency will induce the President to call Congress together again.

President Truman, in a recent press conference, declared he expected the administration to get through its program in the next two months, but majority leaders on the Hill feel they are stretching hope even to expect half a dozen major measures to be passed. Those on which they propose to concentrate are the British loan, extension of O.P.A. and the draft, atomic control, emergency housing and the customary appropriations.

HAVING WON SENATE approval, the British loan will probably encounter delaying tactics in the House itself. Even its strongest advocates now are inclined to doubt if it will get through until another Congress assembles after the November election. They are worried about the effect of such delay in three respects: one is its influence on the chaotic international situation, a second is the curtailment of British buying here already in evidence and the third is the extent to which Britain will have organized its trade on state controlled lines by that time.

EXTENSION OF O.P.A. legislation passed by the House recently, in such a mutilated form that price control would be practically abandoned, is likely to be modified in the Senate by restoration of many of the powers of which the bill was stripped. The number of letters received by the members has climbed to record proportions and the score is about 25 to 1 in favor of O.P.A. It is widespread here that when it became evident the combination of Republicans and southern Democrats would wreck the bill, the administration decided to give it a thorough whipping in order to arouse the country. That would account for the fact that only eight Democrats stood firm against the "crippling amendments." If that was the strategy it seems to be succeeding. Nevertheless, those who criticized the House agree that it is desirable the Senate bill should lay down some rules and principles for decontrol, although it is admitted O.P.A. has been decontrolling rapidly these past few months—so rapidly that some alarm is being voiced.

Among the measures unlikely to be defeated are the army-navy merger, universal training, the presidential succession which would set procedure in case something should happen to Mr. Truman, the minimum wage legislation which would establish a 65 cent an hour minimum for the nation, the Fair Employment Practices Act, which was set back by a filibuster, and unemployment pay.

EVERYTHING CONGRESS does these days is conditioned by politics. Members have their eyes fixed on their home states. They fly home whenever possible for a few days. Attendance in both houses drops daily. But those who believe that there is political gain in opposing such things as the loan, F.E.P.C. or minimum wages always find time to carry on their opposition between visits home.

When the president spoke of getting this program through he showed a confidence in voice and manner hardly warranted by the outlook. It may be, therefore, he plans to intervene again more vigorously. But even that gives little assurance because Congress is completely at loggerheads with the White House and administration party leaders seemingly have lost control of both chambers.

The Worst Loss

From the Ottawa Citizen

IF IT IS TRUE that 20,000 Canadians are likely to emigrate to the United States during the next year, then the fault will be entirely Canada's.

This Dominion needs population. It needs it to fill its empty lands, to produce real wealth and to create the highest standard of living possible for everyone. There are already well over 3,000,000 Canadians settled in the United States. Why should that number be increased?

Naturally the "economic pull" of such a gigantic neighbor is not easy to withstand at the best of times. But more might be done to counteract it. Scientists, technicians and highly-trained civil servants are attracted by the larger opportunities and the higher pay offered them. That at least might be countered by according them better prospects at home.

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QUOTING

I believe thoroughly that criminality starts in the home, and that parents are to blame.—Forrest G. Murdock, superintendent Centinela Valley Union High School District, California.

Management and labor must scratch their brains to get better ways of doing things or they'll get them beaten out.—Harold J. Ruttenberg, research director United Steelworkers of America.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press World Affairs Writer

end to the mission," and Jawaharlal Nehru, president-elect of the great All-India Congress, comments succinctly that "the negotiations go on forever, but this particular conference is ended."

The British have supported the federal idea.

Complete failure of the present negotiations would create serious potentialities for Britain, coming as it would in the midst of her efforts to safeguard her position in the Mediterranean in the face of Russia's thrust into this area. It would be doubly serious because of Britain's fresh troubles in Palestine and the sudden hardening of Egypt's demands that John Bull pull out of the country.

The conferees now have departed to think things over and see what further moves can be made. We are left to guess the cause of the Simla breakdown, but it may be assumed that it came as the result of the demand of the British and Indian representatives not to abandon the quest this time.

The previous conference in 1942, when the British mission under Sir Stafford Cripps went out to India, ended in stark tragedy. Failure of the parley was followed by widespread disorders and bloodshed. At that time the conference was brought to a precipitous end when the Indians—perhaps following the Indian custom of opposing an offer for bargaining purposes—rejected the proposal somewhat brusquely.

The present British delegation says the breakdown in Simla does not in any way bring an

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## Uganda Returning To Esquimalt May 17

Canadian cruiser Uganda, now en route from the Panama Canal to San Diego, Calif., is scheduled to arrive back in Esquimalt Friday naval officers here announced.

The warship will be based at Esquimalt for naval training. The cruiser left here Feb. 5 on a 20,000-mile cruise which would

have eventually taken her to Halifax. However, subsequent orders from naval headquarters at Ottawa sent the ship back here.

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## 'Berkeley Square' Presented Here By Strong U.B.C. Cast

An appreciative audience enjoyed "Berkeley Square," presented by the U.B.C. Player's Club Saturday evening at Victoria High School. The Queen Anne setting and costuming were an excellent backdrop for the actors portraying with delicate poignancy a delightful romance.

Outstanding was Arthur Hill as Peter Standish, the young man whose wish to unlock the door of the past was granted. The audience was caught up in amusing complications which developed when Peter disrupted history by falling in love with the wrong sister.

The tender and heartfelt love of young Helen Pettigrew played by Norma Bloom, for Peter Standish was played with sympathetic understanding. Her graceful movements were typical of an 18th century lady and contrasted with the bold assurance of the modern Peter Standish.

Joyce Harman's dramatic ability in portraying the older sister, Kate Pettigrew, was fiery and forceful. At the end of the first scene she held a long dramatic pause while courting. Likewise, at the end of the second scene, Betty Peayman did the same and all dramatic pauses were well executed.

The strong supporting cast was headed by the polished performances of Beverly Wilson as Lady Anne Pettigrew, George Baldwin as Tom Pettigrew, Donald McDougal and John Nieuwendorp. Grace Tuckey gave a striking characterization as Mrs. Barwick, the small role of Peter's maid.

The director was Elsie Graham and the student assistant was Gerry Williamson.

## Irish Sonos Honor Mother's Day At 'Y'

Featured by tenor soloist Fred Cooper rendering a trio of popular Irish numbers in honor of Mother's Day, an enjoyable evening fireside musical hour was held Sunday in the Y.M.C.A. lounge room.

The program opened with a series of recordings featuring the works of Chopin and Mozart, with Robert Morrison, "X" program secretary, acting in the role of master of ceremonies to give commentary on the selections.

The evening closed with three short movies, Norman Messerschmidt, Y.M.C.A. Camera Club, operating the machine.

Vera Wood accompanied Mr. Cooper on the piano.

## Returned To Owners

MONTREAL—Ss. Duchess of Richmond, 20,022-ton Canadian Pacific Steamship liner, last week was returned to her owners by the British Ministry of Transport after more than five years of war service. D. C. Coleman, president of the C.P.R. and chairman of C.P.S.S., has been informed by cable from London.

The vessel will go into Atlantic passenger service on completion of reconditioning and modernization and it is expected her first peacetime voyage for the owners will be to Saint John, N.B., next winter.

## Tofino Light Out

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## Smallest Rye Crop In U.S. In 65 Years

CHICAGO (AP)—The smallest rye crop in 65 years, with one exception was seen by grain traders today as the most pessimistic part of the United States Agricultural Department's latest crop forecast.

Basing its prediction on May 1

conditions, the government bureau late last week estimated a of prices for the grain to keep pace with the upturn in competitive grain prices. Scarcity and relatively high prices of seed are other factors, they said.

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## Great Vegetable Loss In Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Manitoba Vegetable and Potato Growers' Association estimated today that \$150,000 worth of garden produce had been destroyed by frosts between May 7 and 11.

All radish, lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower and beet plants above ground were ruined and all will have to be re-seeded, the association reported after a survey. All planting was retarded by three to four weeks and prospects of early spring vegetables were "very slim."

Around Morden, in south central Manitoba and the province's fruit belt, all cultivated and wild fruit tree blossoms were destroyed and it was extremely doubtful whether any crop would be harvested this year.

Superintendent W. R. Leslie of

the Morden Experimental Farm said he believed all garden flowers with the possible exception of tulips and peonies would not bloom this year. Even the rhubarb, hardest of all plants, had suffered damage.

## Dairy Calf Club Formed At Saanich

The Saanich Dairy Calf Club, an organization of teen age young people interested in learning the fine points of dairy farming, was organized Saturday at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Sidney.

The group was organized under the direction of a committee comprising persons interested in promoting agricultural development among young people. Chairman of this group is Alex M. Hall, agricultural representative

of the B.C. Electric, which has recently branched out into this field and members are Miss E. Moses, Charles Mann and A. Ayland. Sponsor of the club is the Saanich Jersey Breeder's Association.

During the inaugural meeting the young members were given instruction in judging a class of dairy cattle, following which all took part in the judging of a group of cattle.

President of the club, elected at the meeting, was Lamont Brooks, and Phyllis Nicolson was named secretary-treasurer. Assisting in the instructional work were Miss Echo Lidster, supervisor of young people's clubs for the B.C. Department of Agriculture and Harry Pope, of the same department.

Following the inaugural meeting tea was served at Ayland's Farm, where the cattle judging instruction was given.



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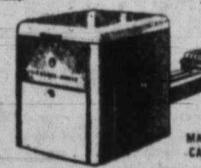
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### Federal Budget May Be Delayed Till Next Month

OTTAWA (CP) — Parliamentary observers now are speculating that the federal budget, which had been expected late this month, now will not be brought down until June, due to the delay in beginning its preparation.

The late start was caused by the fact Finance Minister Isley and his advisers could not begin work on the budget until after the conclusion of the recent Dominion-Provincial Conference, the outcome of which affected the budget itself.

Because of the lack of agreement at the conference, the relationship of the federal government to the provinces in the bud-

get will be the same as last year, since taxation agreements between those administrations will remain in force until next March.

Under those facts, the federal government must pay the provinces \$134,000,000 to compensate them for the taxation fields they surrendered to the Dominion as a wartime measure.

### Escaped Prisoner Hunted By R.C.M.P.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask. (CP) — Prison guards, city police and R.C.M.P. today combed the Prince Albert district for James W. Clarke, 23-year-old convict who escaped Sunday from the Saskatchewan Penitentiary here. He was serving a five-year term for manslaughter after conviction in 1943 in connection with the knife-slaying of Tpr. E. A. Clifford, 19, of Hamilton, Ont.

The original charge was murder, but an assize court jury reduced it.

Clifford was killed at Dundurn, Sask., military camp, where Clarke was a soldier. He was stabbed during an altercation over remarks he was alleged to have made concerning a schoolteacher to whom Clarke had been

attacked. Clarke was serving a five-year term for manslaughter after conviction in 1943 in connection with the knife-slaying of Tpr. E. A. Clifford, 19, of Hamilton, Ont.

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Clarke had been working in the yard outside the penitentiary enclosure, and a check-up disclosed he had disappeared from the job around 3:30 p.m.

### Uncle Ray

#### MONT BLANC IS HIGHEST PEAK IN THE ALPS

Of all mountains in the world, the Alps probably are the most famous. They are far from being the highest, but they have been visited by more people than any other mountains.

Because they are in central Europe, the Alps are "handy" for tourists. During years of peace, millions of persons used to visit one section of the Alps or another each year.

We think of Switzerland as the home of the Alps, and that is true to a large degree. Yet the Alps spread out past the Swiss borders on every side. The tallest peak in these mountains is in France, across the border from northern Italy. That peak is Mont Blanc, a name which means "Mount White" or "White Mountain."

Mont Blanc is white because its upper parts are covered with snow the year around. No matter how hotly the sun may shine during the summer, the blanket of snow stays on the top of this mountain.

There was a time when people were afraid to climb Mount Blanc. Men went up the sides for some distance, but halted at places which seemed too steep.

A Frenchman named Saussure wanted to climb the peak almost two centuries ago, but he decided that he had better wait. The danger to his life seemed more important than the glory he would win by getting to the top.

Saussure felt that other men were more expert at mountain climbing than he was, so he offered a prize to anyone who would find a good way to get to the top. Twenty-six years later, the prize was won by a mountain guide and a doctor. Having been shown the way, Saussure went to the top himself the next year. He had waited more than a quarter of a century to make his dream come true!

One hundred and sixty years have passed since the way to the top of Mont Blanc was found. Since that time, scores of other mountain climbers have made the trip.

Mont Blanc is almost exactly three miles high. Mount McKinley in Alaska and Mount Logan in Canada are taller than Mont Blanc.

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### Final Commission Report On Espionage May Have Surprises

OTTAWA (CP) — Whether by design or by development, the final report of the Royal Commission on Espionage is not expected until sometime next month, possibly later. Chances are that at least the first round in the current spy trials will be finished then, although appeals may develop later.

Sources close to the three-months-old commission predict its

valedictory will be "startling." In the trials as the basis of the Crown's case. Its pages number more than 4,000 and more witnesses have been heard since.

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### Juanita Arthur Married in White

Rev. W. W. McPherson performed the marriage ceremony Saturday evening in Oak Bay United Church which united Juanita Clare, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arthur, 103 Menzies Street, and S. A. Joseph Thomas Brown, R.C.N., only son of Mrs. Josephine Brown, Cordova Bay, and the late Dr. G. M. Brown. During the signing of the register, Miss Margaret Husband sang, "I Love Thee."

Given away by her father, the bride wore a satin gown of white satin, the full skirt falling from a low waistline into a slight train, and the inset net yoke with a rounded neckline was trimmed with lace. Her finger-tip veil was caught to a clasp of braided satin and the bride carried a bouquet of gardenias, white and pink carnations and lily of the valley, showered with pink rosebuds.

Similar floor-length gowns of floral crepe fashioned with square necklines and full skirts were worn by the three attendants, Mrs. R. J. Cain, sister of the bride, in pale blue; Miss Mildred Kerr in pink, and Miss Dorothy Coleman in aqua. All three wore calots of self-material with matching chapel veils and lace mitts and carried spring flowers in colonial arrangements.

R. J. Cain supported the groom and ushers were Ben Dyer and Maurice Palmer. A reception was held at the Orange Hall, where mothers of the couple received the guests. Toast to the bride was proposed by A. W. Pankhurst.

Leaving for a honeymoon in Vancouver, the bride wore a pearl grey suit with navy blue hat trimmed with blush pink, navy blue topcoat and corsage bouquet of gardenias. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will reside at 1135 Hilda Street.

### Married In White At St. Mark's Church

Dorothy Lillian, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Graham, 3338 Whittier Avenue, became the bride Thursday evening in St. Mark's Church, of Albert Travis, son of Mrs. E. Coldwell, 3172 Balfour Avenue, and the late J. Travis. Rev. N. S. Noel officiated and Mrs. F. W. L. Moore was at the organ.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin, brocaded in lily of the valley design with true lovers' knots, and fashioned with sweetheart neckline, lily point sleeve and full skirt. The embroidered veil swept to the floor from a net coronet trimmed with a spray of orange blossoms worn by her mother at her wedding. She wore a three strand pearl necklace, the gift of the groom, and carried a bouquet of red and white carnations.

Similar bouffant frocks in sheer in pale blue and pink, respectively, were worn by the bridesmaids, Miss Roberta Ray and Miss Mary Limer. Their coronet headresses of matching sequins were trimmed with veil and they carried bouquets of sweet peas, carnations and lily of the valley. Joe Travis was best man and ushers were Jack Graham and Bob Atherton.

A reception for more than 100 guests was held at the C.C.F. Hall, Douglas Street, where Vic Campion of Hilliers, B.C., proposed the toast.

Leaving for a honeymoon at Qualicum Beach the bride wore a three-piece turquoise blue ensemble with black accessories and corsage bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Travis will reside at 555 Dalton Street.

### Siamese Twins, Week Old, Gain Strength

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — The Siamese twin girls—Carol and Susan Hurne—will be a week old tomorrow. The Portland General Hospital reported today the infants are thriving and continue to improve in color. The blonde girls, born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hurne, Deep River, Wash., had been given only slight chance of living until last Friday when the weaker one began taking nourishment normally.

Recent guests at the Shawnee Beach Hotel include Mrs. G. A. Mills, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Austin, Miss Peggy O'Grady, Mrs. Thompson Kirby, Mrs. H. Kiesow, Mrs. O'Kelly, Mrs. P. F. DeFreitas, all from Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Crampton and daughter, Dr. Radwan, Mr. Ronnie Webster, Miss Jean Webster and Miss B. V. Augustine from Vancouver, Mrs. A. O. Bice from Alert Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richards from Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. N. McCalum, Woodlawn Crescent, were in Vancouver over the weekend to attend the christening Sunday afternoon in Christ Church Cathedral of their grandson, Michael John, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bird. Dean Cecil Swanson, D.D., officiated, and an heirloom christening gown in the small principal's maternal family was worn by the baby. Later, tea was served at the home of the baby's paternal grandparents, Mr. Justice H. I. Bird and Mrs. Bird. Mrs. E. H. Galbraith, a great-aunt, Dr. William J. Aruckle Jr., and Mr. David Carter were sponsors.

### Bound For Australia



Mrs. D. M. Sandlands and her little daughter, Joyce Hope, left Victoria recently for Australia, where they will visit her late husband's relatives. FO. Sandlands was killed overseas, and Mrs. Sandlands and young Joyce have been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Joyce, Quadra Street.

### Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor have left Langford to spend some time at Thetis Island.

Miss Eileen McGarrigle from Nanaimo, and Mr. Frank Waymark of Calgary, were among the guests at the Tapp-Wakelyn-wedding Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thornton Fell and family are spending a few days in Vancouver, en route to Victoria after several years in eastern Canada.

Mrs. J. D. Lumsden of Vancouver, who has spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Y. Mills at Powder Point, V.I., and at their Victoria home, 1321 Hampshire Road, returned to her home on the mainland Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Miller of St. David Street, is leaving for Vancouver at the beginning of the week to attend the graduation exercises at U.B.C., when her son, Mr. R. A. (Bob) Miller, will receive his diploma May 16.

Mrs. P. J. Woolley, 856 George Street W., left for eastern Canada this week to spend several months visiting friends and relatives in Toronto, Hamilton, New York and Philadelphia. Later she will visit in California before returning to her home in the city.

Qu-Alex Girls' Club were hosts at Mothers' Day tea in the Empress Hotel Sunday afternoon. Miss Hilda Cox, the president, received the guests. The table was covered with a white lace cloth and centred with a huge bowl of yellow tulips. Mrs. Kay McDonald and Mrs. C. Paline presided.

Mrs. Sidney Rhodes, 338 Davida Street, left on the weekend for the mainland en route to Boston. Later she will sail by the Ile de France for Southampton and then to her home in Dundee, Scotland, to visit her mother and father. She was accompanied as far as Vancouver by her husband and three children, Joan, Stuart and Sidney.

An English family of four, she said, would get a total of 170 ration points for furnishing a new home. And one teapot takes 10 points. She said she had wondered if she could "pinch" the mattress on which she slept on the train coming to Toronto from Ottawa; "I would certainly like to take it home."

Planned Hospital Tea

Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold their annual "Hospital Tea" Wednesday at the Nurses' Home of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Mrs. D. Dunbar, regent, will receive the guests and the affair promises to be an outstanding social event. Proceeds will be donated towards the chapter's work in the T.B. Pavilion, Royal Jubilee Hospital.

St. Mary's—A tour of the Island Weavers plant was arranged by St. Mary's A.Y.P.A. at their last meeting. During the tour, Chris Howland gave an interesting talk on weaving. Next meeting will be held in the hall at 8.

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A quiet wedding ceremony performed Friday evening at the home of the bride's parents in the presence of relatives and intimate friends, united Mary Stuart Wakelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wakelyn, 1941 Argyle Avenue, and William Rennie Tapp, son of W. J. Tapp, 146 Montrose Avenue. Rev. T. G. Griffiths of St. Aidan's United Church, officiated. Miss Phyllis Wakelyn played the wedding annual Assistants' Association.

Prior to their departure for a visit to Glasgow, Scotland, Mrs. E. D. Wakelyn and her daughter, Miss Jeanette Wakelyn, were guests of honor at a bon voyage tea given by the former's sister, Mrs. R. M. Barnes, at her home, 15 Ontario Street. The honored guests were presented with parting gifts from those present, including Mesdames S. Coats, J. Waddell, G. Wakelyn, E. Harwood, T. Hartley, G. Crickshank, T. Streeter, R. Barnes, R. Hocking, H. C. Wakelyn, T. Nugent, T. Waymark, Miss Wilma Nugent and Michael Streeter.

Misses Jean Fraser, May Lees, Ross McBride, Dorothy Cox and May Warnock were in Vancouver on the weekend to attend the annual meeting of the B.C. Dental Assistants' Association.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a picture gown of heavy white taffeta, fashioned with fitted bodice round neckline and bouffant skirt. Her embroidered fingertip veil was caught to a Juliet cap of white lace and held in place by sprays of lily of the valley. A shower bouquet of pale pink roses and lily of the valley, and a single strand of pearls, the gift of the groom, completed the bride's ensemble.

Miss Vera-Mae Wakelyn attended her sister, wearing pale blue sheer over taffeta with lace gloves and bandeau of pale pink flowers. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations and white sweet peas. William C. Wakelyn was best man.

The reception rooms were arranged with white and mauve lily pink tulips, and the three-tiered wedding cake was flanked by pale pink tapers in crystal holders.

Mr. and Mrs. Tapp will reside in Toronto following a honeymoon in Banff and Calgary. Going away, the bride wore a dressmaker's suit in mulberry shade, navy accessories and corsage bouquet of rosebuds.

An English family of four, she said, would get a total of 170 ration points for furnishing a new home. And one teapot takes 10 points. She said she had wondered if she could "pinch" the mattress on which she slept on the train coming to Toronto from Ottawa; "I would certainly like to take it home."

Recent guests at the Shawnee Beach Hotel include Mrs. G. A. Mills, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Austin, Miss Peggy O'Grady, Mrs. Thompson Kirby, Mrs. H. Kiesow, Mrs. O'Kelly, Mrs. P. F. DeFreitas, all from Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Crampton and daughter, Dr. Radwan, Mr. Ronnie Webster, Miss Jean Webster and Miss B. V. Augustine from Vancouver, Mrs. A. O. Bice from Alert Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richards from Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. N. McCalum, Woodlawn Crescent, were in Vancouver over the weekend to attend the christening Sunday afternoon in Christ Church Cathedral of their grandson, Michael John, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bird. Dean Cecil Swanson, D.D., officiated, and an heirloom christening gown in the small principal's maternal family was worn by the baby. Later, tea was served at the home of the baby's paternal grandparents, Mr. Justice H. I. Bird and Mrs. Bird. Mrs. E. H. Galbraith, a great-aunt, Dr. William J. Aruckle Jr., and Mr. David Carter were sponsors.

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## Summer Models At 'Y' Fashion Show

Heralding the approach of summer, cool frocks and light suits were modeled with fur coats and evening gowns at the fashion show and tea held Saturday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A.

Of particular interest was the striking white taffeta evening gown worn by Mrs. J. A. Smith, a member of the Overseas Wives' Club; and another evening gown of black taffeta, modeled by Miss Margaret Wightman and topped with a silver fox coat. The show was convened by the Inter-Club girls of the Y.W.C.A.

Mrs. John Baxter opened the affair and presiding at the tea urns were Mrs. John Price, Mrs. L. Curtis, Mrs. Duncan McBride and Mrs. H. E. Foster. The tea table was centred with a lovely arrangement of gardenias, pink carnations and lily of the valley.

Miss Marjorie Fanstone and Miss Peggy Schoen were pianists during the tea hour and Miss Graves played during the fashion show.

The models were Miss Margaret Wightman, Mrs. W. G. Hamilton, Mrs. J. A. Smith, Mrs. L. Biddle, Mrs. R. E. Foster, Mrs. Ethel King, and the Misses Pat Robertson, Thelma Burnett, Joyce Empey, Joyce Whiteoak and Marion Deeble. Miss Valorie Morin was the commentator and Miss Velda Wille also assisted with the show.

## Mrs. P. E. Corby Heads Music Group

At the annual meeting of Victoria Musical Arts Society held at Victoria Truth Centre Saturday evening, Mrs. P. E. Corby was elected president for the coming year. Mrs. J. O. Cameron was again elected honorary president with other officers as follows: First vice-president, John Gough; second vice-president, Mrs. A. H. Adams; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. Ellis; recording secretary, Miss Mary Adamson; treasurer, C. C. Lordan; intermediate group adviser, Mrs. J. Ingram Smith; junior group adviser, Mrs. R. E. Collie; committee, Mrs. Storey Waller, Mrs. E. Willis, John I. Smith, Thomas Jenkins, J. Le-Huet, J. McKibben and John Bray.

During the evening John Gough presented Mrs. William Ellis, who has headed the group for the past three years, with a crystal and silver rose bowl on behalf of the members. Mrs. Ellis was also named honorary vice-president. A presentation was also made by Shirley Gun to Mrs. R. D. McCaw who has been advised to the intermediate group for 10 years and Gerald Shaw made a presentation to Mrs. Kent-Jones who has directed the junior group for six years. Later, a musical program was presented.

Royal Oak W.I.—A report of the annual flower show was given at the May meeting of Royal Oak Women's Institute when 73 prizes were distributed. Miss Lottie Bowron spoke on wartime England following the business meeting.

## Topknot Hat For Summer



How a hair-do becomes a hat is demonstrated by Hollywood actresses Adele Jergens, left, and Marguerite Chapman. Below, their high-piled topknots—one of curls, the other intertwined braids—are arranged to fill in the open-crowned straw hats, above, for a pretty, unusual effect.

## News of Clubwomen

**Spring Luncheon**—There was a full attendance of members at the last meeting of the Royal W.A. at the home of Mrs. L. Cavens, Hamota Street, when arrangements were made for the annual spring luncheon Thursday at 12:30 in the schoolroom. A short program will follow.

**St. Mary's W.A.**—The annual social afternoon will be held in the hall May 29 at 3, it was announced at the last meeting of St. Mary's Senior W.A. Afternoon Branch. Miss E. M. Nicols, juniors' secretary, invited members to attend the juniors' annual concert, tea and sale. Mrs. F. M. Burd showed a film, "The Book of Books," following the business meeting.

**Install Officers**—Installation of officers took place at the last meeting of Chapter XI, Beta Sigma Phi, at the home of Mrs. M. Darling, 1037 Craigdarroch. It was announced the Mothers' Day tea would be held at the Empress Hotel with Miss Betty Dawson and Marjorie Haywood convening. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Nancy Shaw, 1391 Oliver Street, May 22.

**Honor Mothers**—All the mothers of the Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, were presented with dainty handkerchiefs at the last business meeting held in the K. of P. Hall. Sister Doris Elliott presided and Sister Vera Barry reported on the teas held at her home and the home of Sister W. Davies. Bingo was played following the meeting, and the Pythian Sister degree will be conferred at the next meeting, May 23.

**Caterpillar Campaign**—Results of the caterpillar campaign sponsored by the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute for school children was announced at the last meeting. A total of 104,159 rings were collected at a cost to the W.I. of \$104.16. Mrs. G. A. Acreman presided, and Mrs. W. Conder was nominated to replace Mrs. G. Jones, a delegate to the provincial conference, May 28 to 30. Mrs. H. Wadams was appointed custodian of Girl Guide movement. Arrangements were made to hold a court while party May 16, conveners being Mrs. Acreman and Mrs. C. Schriber.

**New Officers**—The Chief Factor M. Gillies presided at the last meeting of Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 3. The new password was given and officers installed for the coming term by Mrs. H. Cruickshank as follows: Trustee, J. King; past chief factor, M. Gillies; chief factor, H. Corbett; vice-factor, A. Kinsman; chaplain, D. Currie; historian, R. Hubbard; treasurer, L. Smethurst; secretary, M. Andrews; assistant secretary, B. Creech; auditor, R. Nickerson; guide, G. Burnett; inner sentinel, N. Whyte. A past chief factor's jewel was presented to Miss Gillies by Mrs. King. Mrs. Nickerson reported on the grand post meeting in New Westminster. Plans were made for a garden party later in summer. Refreshments were served after the meeting, with the following acting as hostesses: L. Lorimer, B. Creech, E. Neelands, J. Lorimer, M. Gillies, M. Brown and H. Hubbard. The next sewing meeting will be held at the home of Miss M. Gillies, 126 Croft Street on May 30. Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. J. King and Mrs. M. Davies.

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**Newest Fashions**—Mrs. Marion Foster, Y.W.C.A., Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. at the Esquimalt United Church, Mothers' Day tea, Tuesday, 2:30 to 4:30, in Sunday School rooms.

**St. Mark's W.A.**—parish hall, Tuesday at 2:30.

**Knitting meeting**, Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., at home of Mrs. A. Stone, 217 Wildwood Avenue, Wednesday at 2:30.

**St. Saviour's W.A.**—donation tea, parish hall, Wednesday, 3:30, Colwood Women's Institute, Wednesday, 2:30, Colwood Hall, Tuesday, 2:30.

**Victorian Order of Nurses**—board meeting, Tuesday, 10:30, Pemberton Building, Victoria (Connaught) Seamen's Institute, Y.W.C.A., Tuesday, 2:15.

**Silver Tea**—and sale of home cooking, auspices St. Alban's Sunday School, Wednesday, 2:30 to 5, parish hall... Business and Professional Women's Club, business meeting tonight at 8, clubrooms, Union Building, Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., sewing meeting at home of Mrs. E. Edwards, 1531 Hillside, Wednesday at 2.

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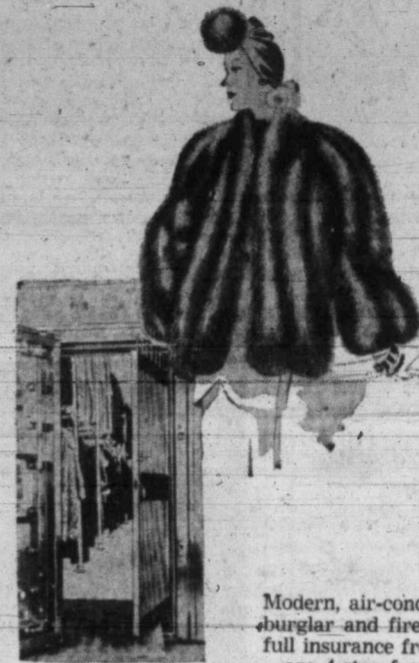
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**Capitol Holds Over 'Bells Of St. Mary'**

That simple faith can overcome all difficulties is the underlying theme of "The Bells of St. Mary's," in which Bing Crosby and Ingrid Bergman are starred. It is currently at the Capitol Theatre.

The delightfully humorous and warmly human story centres around the shabby old-parochial school of St. Mary's, the existence of which is threatened by condemnation proceedings, instigated by a crabby old capitalist who has erected a big new building next door and wants the school property for a parking lot.

Crosby has the role of Father O'Malley, pastor of St. Mary's, whose ideas on educating the young do not always agree with those of the nuns. Miss Bergman is Sister Benedict, the Sister Superior, who's a richly-developed sense of humor enlivens the friendly tilts she has with O'Malley. Crosby sings several favorite devotional numbers and, for the first time on the screen, Miss Bergman sings a Swedish folksong.

**Plaza, Rio Show Noel Coward Comedy**

When Noel Coward set about transferring to the screen his stage comedy of "Blithe Spirit," in the studios at Denham, England, he may not have realized it but players from America in the production—and there were several—felt he was paying a compliment to Hollywood. Some years ago the American movie capital had made dazzling offers to him to go there and film this play of his, along with others. The tenacious choice for the feminine lead for "Blithe Spirit," was even mentioned in the papers. But Coward finally turned down the offer.

While Coward adhered to the stage play very closely, making very limited cuts in the dialogue, he streamlined the film production. The charge had previously been made against certain English film productions that while they were naturalistic, they lacked speed. So Coward set a very fast pace for his action, after the manner of American film comedies.

A good deal of lively business was introduced, sometime without dialogue, to relieve stretches of speech and save them from monotony. Blithe Spirit is now being shown at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

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many days and nights sailing on the set of "The Crystal Ball," the merry comedy-romance co-starring Paulette Goddard and Ray Milland which makes its debut at the Atlas Theatre today through United Artists release, swung around to the English Channel, potential invasion route of the Allies, Milland displayed such intimate knowledge of the historic waters that he amazed other members of the film troupe, especially his co-star.

Ray reeled off the names and locations of the tiniest islands and, the distances from port to port with encyclopedic thoroughness.

"How come you know all the answers?" asked Paulette Goddard.

The actor grinned and revealed that as a youth he had spent

many days and nights sailing on the English Channel. The Welsh-born Milland earned a living working on a potato boat which plied between the Channel Islands and ports.

L. Lowry, character actor cast in the film, the latter was truly amazed.

It developed that Lowry has in his collection a photograph of the actual pendant of which the movie prop is a replica.

"The Wife of Monte Cristo" was directed by Edgar Ulmer, with John Loder, Lenore Aubert, Martin Kosleck, and Eva Gabor in the leading roles, and with a

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## Major League Baseball

# Boston Whips Yanks

It is a moot question today whether collapse of the St. Louis Cardinal pitching staff is due chiefly to the absence of Walker Cooper, star catcher sold to the New York Giants, or to return of prewar stars to the big leagues.

Whatever the reason, it is no secret now that (1) the St. Louis mound corps is not all cracked up to be; (2) the Cards will not walk into the National League championship as predicted originally.

With one month of the 1946 campaign gone, St. Louis' two top hurlers last year—Harry (The Cat) Brecheen (15-4) and Charlie (Red) Barrett (23-12)—have won but one game between them.

Both had almost two full weeks of rest when they took the hill at Cincinnati yesterday. Each failed to last and the Reds swept a double bill 4 to 2 and 5 to 1 to move into a third-place tie with Boston Braves and Chicago Cubs. The double defeat tumbled the Cards from first to second place, 1½ games behind Brooklyn Dodgers.

Brooklyn ran its unbeaten victory string at home to eight by pummeling Philadelphia Phils 13 to 4.

### GIANTS DROP PAIR

Boston Braves slapped New York Giants 6 to 5 and 7 to 2 to drop the Giants into the second division. The Braves had to come from behind to win the opener in 10 innings.

The Chicago Cubs whipped seventh-place Pittsburgh 3 to 1 behind Claude Passeau's seven-hit pitching and moved within three games of the top.

In the American League, although somewhat overshadowed by Boston Red Sox whose winning streak ended at 15 Saturday, Detroit Tigers have put together a streak of their own. Dizzy Trout pitched the Bengals to their seventh straight yesterday with a 4 to 1, seven-hit performance over Chicago White Sox.

The League-leading Red Sox resumed their winning ways by defeating the New York Yankees 3 to 1 in the rubber game of their three-game series before a tremendous turnout of 68,193, second highest single-game crowd in baseball history.

The game was a pitching duel between Boston's Mickey Harris and New York's Spud Chandler, southpaw Harris holding the Yanks to three hits in registering his sixth triumph after dropping the opener 6 to 4.

St. Louis Browns extended Bobby Feller to 10 innings before succumbing to Cleveland 4 to 3 in the opener, and then came back to scalp the Indians 9 to 3. Feller fanned 12 to raise his son's strikeout total to 71.

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### Nelson Captures Houston Tourney

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP)—Byron Nelson won the Houston \$10,000 open golf tournament Sunday with a 72-hole score of 274—two strokes better than Ben Hogan.

Nelson and Hogan each shot a three-under-par 68 over River Oaks course in the closing round.

Nelson drew down \$2,000, Hogan \$1,400.

### Baseball Standings

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	22	4	.846
New York	16	9	.640
Detroit	14	10	.583
Washington	10	12	.455
St. Louis	10	13	.435
Chicago	7	13	.350
Cleveland	7	14	.333
Philadelphia	7	18	.280

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	14	7	.667
St. Louis	12	8	.600
Boston	11	10	.524
Chicago	11	10	.524
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
New York	11	12	.478
Pittsburgh	9	12	.429
Philadelphia	5	15	.250

#### COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	30	15	.667
Los Angeles	28	16	.636
Oakland	27	18	.600
Hollywood	22	21	.512
San Diego	20	25	.444
Sacramento	18	27	.400
Seattle	17	27	.386
Portland	13	28	.349

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Batteries—Koslo, Budnick, Fischer and Wright and Massi.

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Chicago—Hartman, Heitman, Oberhauser and Salter; Passmore and Livingston.

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Washington—Patterson, Phillips and Evans;

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## Flying Into Matrimony



Screen actress Joan Fontaine and William Dozier, RKO film executive, are pictured aboard plane at Los Angeles, headed for Mexico, after announcing that they will be married there. She was divorced last June, he this May.

school work, especially if adults occupy the room where the children sleep. Some parents permit children to remain up beyond their regular bedtime if others are around, forgetting that if given a chance, the average child can learn to sleep under adverse circumstances.

Ideal living conditions provide good safety standards, construction, lighting, ventilation, size and arrangement of rooms, and toilet facilities. A large family living room is required, and there should be separate sleeping quarters for each member of the family.

Control of noise through sound conditioning will reduce nervous irritation.

Sanitary facilities for the preparation and serving of food should exist in all homes.

Housing conditions should also be improved in rural districts. Public health authorities insist that rural electrification will aid tremendously in bettering farm health conditions.

**Eagles' Auxiliary** — Mrs. Thelma Simmons presided at the last meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the F.O.E. Aerie No. 12, when letters of thanks were read for aid to the Solarium. Mrs. Agnes Spaven donated a door prize for the anniversary ball to be held May 17, in the Aerie Room. Officers and degree team will meet Tuesday at 7:30.

## The DOCTOR Says:

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By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M.D.  
Substandard housing adversely affects health through overcrowding, poor sanitation, noise and hazards.

Overcrowding increases the possibility of the spread of contagious disease, as large numbers of persons living in a small place spread infections with great ease, especially if there are children present. No matter what the economic circumstances, large families have more contagious illness than small families.

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tions were the rule among these children, and deaths were frequent because of their weakened condition.

Accidents from fires are more apt to occur in crowded dwellings because of the nature of their construction and the difficulty in getting large numbers of people out through only a few exits. Those who must live under these

conditions should adopt all known fire prevention practices. Inflammable material should not be stored, and extreme care in handling heating appliances should be maintained.

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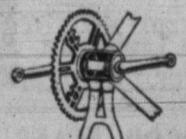
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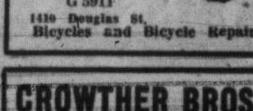
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## Command Dominos

A motion of congratulation to the Victoria Dominos Basketball Club for their "outstanding performance" was put before this afternoon's meeting of the council by Ald. F. G. Mulliner.

In the motion he congratulated the team on "winning successfully the Vancouver Island, western Canada, and Canadian senior men's basketball championships

without the loss of a single game."

The resolution continued: "The members of the council also express their admiration of the fine overall record of the team, their appreciation of the distinction and honor it has brought to Victoria, and best wishes for its continued success."

**United Empire Loyalists**, Victoria Branch, annual meeting and banquet will be held at the Douglas Hotel, May 18, at 6:15.

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## Hindu Pleads Not Guilty At Assize Murder Trial

Only trial on a murder charge to be heard at the Spring Assizes here, opened in Supreme Court today, when Baliram Singh, 60-year-old Hindu, tall, with thinning grey hair and visibly nervous in the prisoner's box, went on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Sunda Singh, 65, on or about Dec. 26, 1945, at Victoria.

G. F. Gregory is defence counsel and Carew Martin, K.C., Crown prosecutor. The case is being heard before Mr. Justice Alex M. Manson.

The accused, who was assisted to the prisoner's box by a member of the B.C. Police, shook his head and said "not guilty" in a low tone upon hearing the charge read and translated into Punjabi, by Mohan Singh, interpreter. Mr. Gregory told the court that the accused did not understand English.

As the trial opened Mr. Martin told the jury that evidence to be presented would be circumstantial. He said he would request that the jury see the premises where the body of Sunda Singh was found.

"The accused was seen leaving the abode on Quesnel Street, Dec.

**B.C. Gold Miners Threaten Strike; To Meet May 26**

VANCOUVER (CP) — A new strike threat, involving between 2,000 and 3,000 employees in a number of British Columbia mining companies loomed today.

The strike would involve "all operations, mainly gold mines," except the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd. at Trail and Kimberley, where an agreement has been signed by union and company representatives.

Harvey Murphy, western regional director of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelterworkers (C.I.O.-C.C.L.) said a meeting will be held here May 26 to "decide on what action to take" to back up 1946 agreements demands.

"A strike is very likely unless the operators are willing to deal with us in good faith, which they have not done up to now," Mr. Murphy said.

The union asks a 29-cent hourly wage increase, a 40-hour week and other changes in present agreements.

President Howard T. James of the British Columbia Mining Association, declined to make any immediate comment.

**Believed Drowned In Campbell Lake**

Well-known as a trapper and a caretaker of summer homes at Buttle Lake, Joseph Thomas is believed to have drowned in Upper Campbell Lake.

Thomas' rowboat was found upturned on the lake and food and other supplies were picked up along the shore. Dragging operations are being carried out.

**Safe Stolen From Parksville Motors**

PARKSVILLE, V.I. (CP) — Thieves who broke into Parksville Motors here Saturday night stole a safe, B.C. Police said today.

A motorcycle fire on Fort Street and a dust explosion in the grinding machine at the Scott and Peden feed and grain store this morning kept city firemen on the run after a busy weekend. Damage in both cases was slight.

Sunday morning a fire blazed on a cigarette butt did considerable damage at home of C. MacLean, 2640 Avenue B. The fire broke out in a car parked in a garage beside the house. The car, garage and part of the house was damaged.

Early Sunday morning an overheated oil burner set the floor, wall and ceiling alight at the Fashion Cleaners, 758 Yates Street.

A beach fire at Foul Bay Saturday night also was attended. Saanich firemen extinguished a roof fire at the home of M. Tupman, Giles Road, Sunday afternoon. Damage was not serious.

Sunday evening they put out a blaze which burned out a quarter of an acre of bushland at Queenswood.

Oak Bay firemen attended a chimney blaze at 1741 Monteith Street Sunday afternoon.

British Columbia Historical Association, Victoria section, will hold a general meeting in the Provincial Library on Tuesday, at 8:30, when W. E. Ireland, provincial archivist, will deliver an address entitled, "Beyond Old Oregon: Larger Issues in the Boundary Controversy."

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## Town Topics

A 21-gun salute, marking the anniversary of King George's coronation, was fired from Work Point today.

**More than \$300 was collected in fines in city police court today from charges involving drunkenness and supplying liquor to Indians.**

**City Hall Employees' Association** presented Stanley James, 1945 president, with a book, "Sportsman's Anthology," as a memento of his year in office.

**Bruno Sellan**, 23, electrician, died in Kimberley hospital Saturday night from injuries suffered while working underground at the Sullivan mine, Kimberley.

**A list of 34 items, including cranes, rollers, paving equipment, tractors and other construction equipment has been submitted to the City Council by War Assets Corporation in Montreal.**

**H. G. Allan**, secretary of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria, has written the City Council informing it that the principal sum of the loan debt owing the city by the Cemetery Trustees has now been repaid.

**John H. Coull**, who pleaded guilty in city police court Saturday to a charge of failing to remain at the scene of an accident, today was fined \$50 or 15 days in jail. Coull also was fined \$5 for driving without a license.

**Executive meeting of the Canadian Legion**, Esquimalt Dockyard Branch No. 172, will be held Tuesday at 8. Monthly meeting will be held Wednesday at 8 in the branch hall, Admirals Road.

**Humphrey Mitchell**, Minister of Labor, has sent the City Council a copy of a circular letter addressed "To Canadian Workers" explaining the need for retaining wage and price controls to stop the growth of inflation.

**Thomas Ross**, 1026 Oliver Street, was treated at Jubilee Hospital, Sunday night for a severe cut to his face, received when his car collided with a parked car on Oliver Street, between Windsor Road and Brighton Avenue, Oak Bay police reported.

**Building permits** have been issued to the Civil Guild to convert an army hutment into a clubhouse at 804 Kings Road at a cost of \$4,000; to F. Lindsey to build a 3-room house at 1525 Richmond Road, \$6,000; to B. Burgess to build a 3-room house at 2660 Blackwood, \$4,000, and to T. F. Gwilt to build a 5-room house at 940 Bay Street, \$4,000.

**Having been informed that the M.D. 11 Band will not be available for the Memorial Day service June 2, efforts will be made to get the services of a local non-military band, Ald. W. L. Morgan, chairman of the Memorial Day Committee, said today. Both the air force and the army have written to state that contingents of 24 men will be on hand for the ceremonies and that padres will also be in attendance.**

**Joy-Riding Trio Stopped By Police**

A 20-year-old boy and two juveniles, a girl and a boy, kept city policemen busy for an hour late Saturday night before they were apprehended.

Driving in a borrowed car, the trio first were given a ticket for not having a tail light on the machine.

Fourteen minutes later the three-some was blamed for injuring a passenger in a passing car with a beer bottle which they are alleged to have thrown. The incident took place on Gorge Road. The injuries sustained were not serious.

Not long after, a car of the same description which the trio was driving, was reported speeding recklessly along Oak Bay Avenue.

Finally the trio was apprehended outside a downtown cafe. After questioning, police took them home.

**To Prosecute Persons Stealing Highway Signs**

Provincial police warned today that charges will be laid against persons caught stealing or tampering with Island Highway traffic signs and safety devices.

Many highway safety reflectors had been stolen from posts in the Niagara Canyon district, and damage to signs also had been reported.

Police pointed out that such action was endangering the lives of motorists, and offenders would be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

**Boys' Band Wins**

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Victoria Boys' Band took first honors in the junior bands' division at the B.C. Musical Festival here Saturday.

Pat O'Shaughnessy of Nanaimo placed third in the boys' solo-

## 24,000 People Were Vaccinated Here During Epidemic Period

With approximately 24,000 citizens of Greater Victoria having been vaccinated during the three-week period from March 29 to April 18, the danger of an epidemic in Victoria within the next 10 years is very much reduced. Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, medical health officer, reported to this afternoon's meeting of the City Council.

He advised that everyone not vaccinated during the dappar period should go to the Health Centre either Wednesday afternoons or Saturday mornings because "it is important that all persons living in a port city be vaccinated and have this re-peated at least every 10 years."

Sufficient vaccine is now on hand, he reported to keep private doctors fully supplied.

The city health department

performed 12,104 vaccinations.

It is stated. Of these 8,333 were at the Health Centre afternoon and evening sessions, 2,759 in the schools, 500 in Esquimalt, 200 in baby clinics, 95 in special groups, and 217 at the city hall.

The Provincial Health Department vaccinated 1,125 persons, Saanich 3,000 and Oak Bay 3,000. In addition the private doctors did more than 5,000.

Total cost to the city for extra doctors and a file clerk at the Health Centre, Dr. Anderson said, was \$250. He praised the efforts of volunteer workers from Civil Defence Posts 4 and 5, the Red Cross, and St. John Ambulance Association.

Ninety per cent of all schoolchildren in Greater Victoria, he said, have been vaccinated within the past five years.

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Erikson Johnson—KOL  
Indiana Juke—KJR  
Singing Sam—CJVI  
Pops on Pops—CJVR  
Hawaiian Divas—CJVR  
Kaltenborn—KOMO. 5:45.

6:00 Radio Theatre—KIRO. CBR.  
Note by Note—KOMO.  
Jerry Morris—KOL  
The Big Stories—KJR  
News—CJVI

Studies—Guest—CJVR

6:30 Radio Theatre—KIRO. CBR.  
Information Please—KOMO.  
Captain Midnight—KOL  
Jack Armstrong—KJR  
Music Box—CJVR

7:00 Radio Club—KIRO.  
Contented Home—KOMO. CJVR  
Lone Ranger—KJR  
Perry Mason—KOMO. CJVR  
News—CBR

7:30 Hawk Show—KIRO.  
Dr. J. Q.—KOMO.  
Spotlight Bands—KOL  
Police Radio—CJVR  
Science a la Mode—CJVI. CJVR  
Music We Name—CBR

8:00 Laundry Rose—KIRO.  
Super Club—KOMO.  
Bill Thompson—KOL  
Playhouse—CJVI  
Cuckoo Clock—CBR  
Dad's Discrepancy—CBR  
Jack Smith—8:15.  
Fleetwood Layton—KOMO. 8:15

8:30 Joe Davis—KIRO.  
American Classics—KOMO.  
Dick Clark—CBR

Tommy Thomas—KJR  
Dawn—Stable's—CJVR  
CJVR  
Harmony House—CBR

9:00 Jack in All Trades—KIRO.  
Telephone Hour—KOMO.  
Michael Shand—KOL  
Dinner Bell—KJR  
Reflections in Music—CJVI.  
Radio Rascals—CBR

9:30 Forever Friend—KIRO.  
Voice of Firestone—KOMO.  
Sherlock Holmes—KOL  
Hammer House—KJR  
Hi Parade—CBR  
Ring Up the Curtain—CBR.  
Stars of the Met—CBR

10:00 Whistler—KIRO.  
Home—Carmel—KOMO.  
Oscar Hammerstein—KOL  
Clifford and Clark—KJR  
Art Van Damme—CJVI

10:30 Vets Mail Call—KIRO.  
Across the Nation—KOMO.  
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL  
Sports—CJVR  
Concert Hour—CBR  
Baseball—CJVI. 10:45

11:00 Five Star Final—KIRO.  
Theater Critic—KOMO.  
Magical Hour—KOL  
Gordon—CJVR  
Record Champs—CBR  
Concert Hour—CBR  
Kaltenborn—KOMO. 11:15.

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Radio Theatre—KIRO,  
CBR.

7:00—Guild presents  
Ronald Colman and Vir-  
ginia Bruce in "Talk of the  
Town"—KIRO.

9:00—Enzo Pinza is guest on  
Telephone Hour—KOMO.

9:30—Igor Gorin is soloist with  
Howard Barlow orchestra on  
Voice of Firestone—  
KOMO.

11:30—Washington Rep's—KIRO.  
Broadway Echoes—KOL  
Magic Hour—KJR  
St. Francis Hotel Orch.—CBR  
Lullaby Land—CJVR

7:00—House Party—KIRO.  
Women of America—KOMO.  
Ella Maxwell—KOL  
Barney Kessel—CJVR  
Songs for You—CJVI  
Hits of Today—CBR  
Freddy Martin—CJVR

12:00—Birthday Party—KIRO.  
Mrs. Women of America—KOMO.  
Johnnie Jones—KJR  
Memory Time—CJVI  
Bob Hope Broadcast—CBR  
Piano Virtuoso—CJVR

1:30—Evelyn White—KIRO.  
Loren Janis—KJR  
Carnival—KOL  
Easy Acer—CJVR  
Bob Hope—CJVR  
Musical Program—CBR  
Newscast—CJVR

2:00—House Party—KOMO.  
When a Girl Marries—KOMO  
Woman of the Year—KJR  
Jackie Gleason—CJVR  
Music—CJVR  
Choral Group—CBR  
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2:30—Meet the Misses—KIRO.  
Just Plain Bill—KOMO.  
Slashed—KOL  
Music—CJVR  
Survey—CJVR

3:00—Valentines—KIRO.  
Road of Life—KOMO  
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3:30—Our House—KIRO.  
Sister Mary—KJR  
Morning Concert—CBR  
Breakfast—CJVR

9:00—Kate with KIRO.  
Fred Waring—KOMO  
Jerry Morris—KOL  
Martin Agronsky—KJR  
News—CJVR  
BBC News—CBR  
Shut In—CJVR

9:30—Hello Trent—KIRO.  
Trent's Morning Song—  
Breakfast—CJVR  
Local News—KJR  
Parks and Budgets—CBR  
Life Cap—Be Beautiful—CJVR

4:00—Home Edition—KIRO.  
This Woman's Secret—KOMO  
John Ford—KJR  
Doris and Groves—KJR  
Aunt Mary—CJVR  
Jack Alice—CJVR

4:30—Melody Hour—KIRO.  
Piano Melodies—KOMO  
This Is Mine—KJR  
Local News—KJR  
Parks and Budgets—CBR  
Life Cap—Be Beautiful—CJVR

5:00—W.A.S. Reports—KIRO.  
Homekeeper's Calendar—KOMO  
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL  
Sister Mary—KJR  
Singing Stars—CJVI  
Ann Wain—CJVR  
Memorable Music—CJVR

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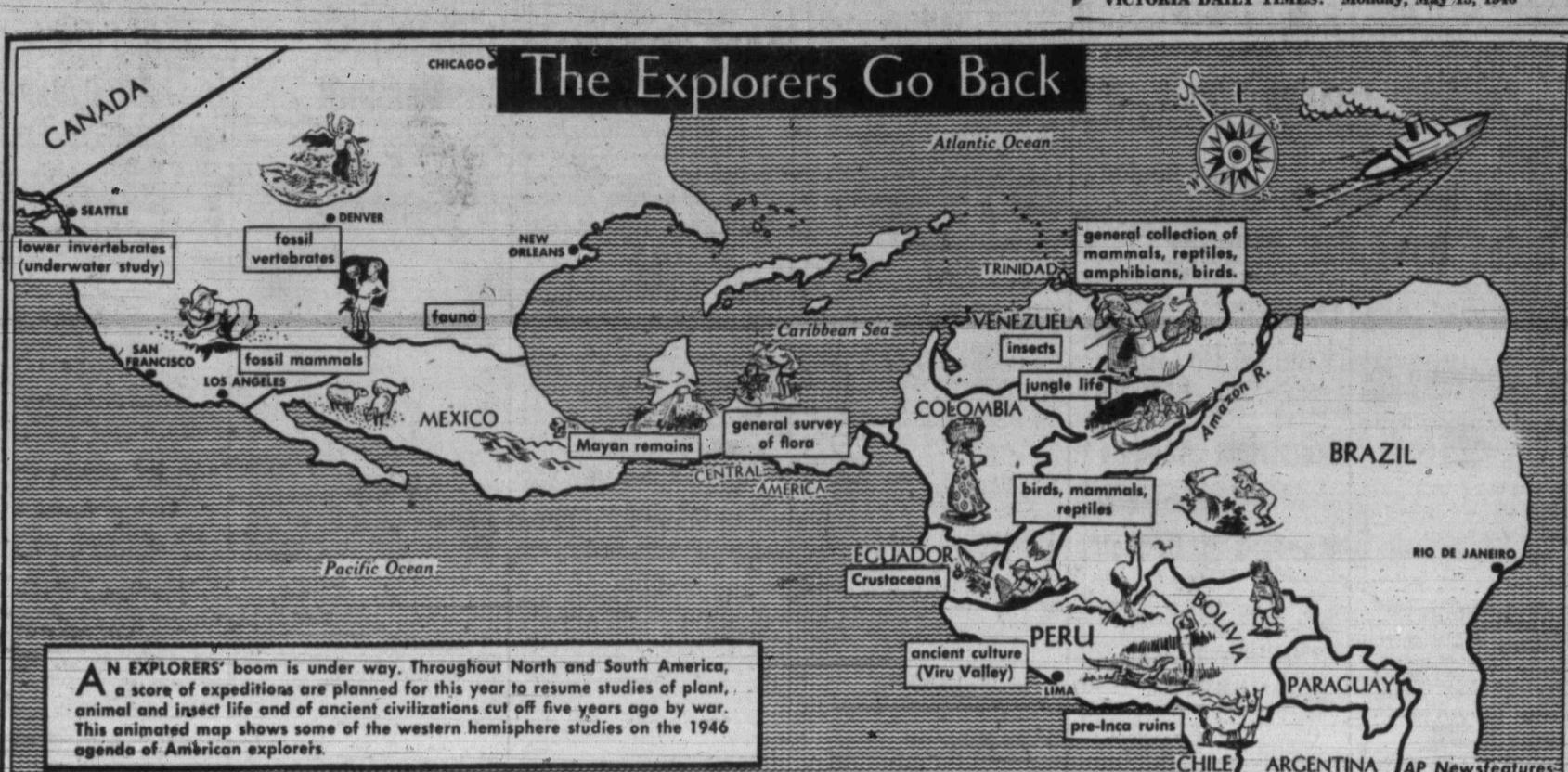
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**A EXPLORERS' boom is under way. Throughout North and South America, a score of expeditions are planned for this year to resume studies of plant, animal and insect life and of ancient civilizations cut off five years ago by war. This animated map shows some of the western hemisphere studies on the 1946 agenda of American explorers.**

By WILLIAM GLOVER

Explorers are back on the trail again, to the far-off spots where queer insects, strange beasts and ancient fossils have been isolated from scientific probing during five years of war.

Twenty-two expeditions are in the field already or set to go soon, a survey of principal scientific societies, museums and universities discloses. Another dozen trips are in various stages of planning.

Remote corners of Latin America will be visited this year by the safaris of 15 groups, and there will also be an outburst of domestic anthropological and zoological investigation in the Southwest, California, Wyoming and Puget Sound areas.

The Chicago Natural History Museum has listed the greatest number of trips, with 10 groups slated for exploration during 1946. The first was a resumption in January of a study of

Peruvian mammals, birds and reptiles that was interrupted in 1941. Other trips to start during the spring and summer are zoological expeditions to the Celebes Islands (the only Pacific trip scheduled by any society), to Texas and Mexico; and, next November, to Trinidad; a botanical expedition to Nicaragua, Honduras and El Salvador; plus such domestic trips as one to Wyoming in May to collect fossil vertebrates of the Eocene Period and two trips into the Southwest. At Puget Sound during the summer an underwater survey of lower invertebrates will be conducted.

### CULTURAL HISTORY

Probably the most extensive and elaborate expedition of the year will be one leaving New York about May 15 for the Viru Valley of Peru. It will be participated in by scientists of the Chicago Museum, the American Museum of Natural History in New York, the Smithsonian Institution of Washington, Columbia and Yale universities. It is the first time a concerted effort has been made to work out the full cultural history of a Peruvian area, and such subjects as the remains of ancient aboriginal fishermen, the architectural features of ancient adobe structures and present-day land-utilization by natives will be studied in addition to zoological investigation.

The American Museum, which is second to the Chicago Museum with four expeditions planned, has scheduled a separate trip starting in July to the Amazon region of Peru where for nine months a group will collect insect specimens. This museum has a number of additional expeditions proposed, to the Yosemite for mammals, into northeastern Mexico for a study of the heat requirements of various reptiles and to Mexico for a study of behavior in toads, and several paleontological trips.

Probably the most unusual juncture is that of two nature-

The well-known explorer, Dr. William Beebe, is making an eight-months' study of jungle life at the New York Zoological Society's field station at Rancho Grande, high in the mountains of Venezuela.

The National Geographic Society and Smithsonian are conducting a joint study of Mayan remains in Vera Cruz, Mexico, and the society also has a bird investigation under way in the Hudson Bay region that will continue through 1949.

Dr. Alexander Wetmore, secretary of the Smithsonian, has been conducting a bird research project in Panama, and a fish study group is in Guatemala. Dr. J. P. Harrington is in California studying the languages of nearly extinct Indian tribes. Other trips for various purposes are planned to Ecuador, Colombia and central Utah.

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loving Philadelphians who started during the winter on a trip which they expect will take them across 3,700 miles of South American jungles in search of rare birds, mammals and reptiles. The married couple, Charles and Gertrude Darlington, expect to spend \$4,000 of their own money during the safari, and hope to obtain a number of specimens for the Philadelphia zoo.

### IN AFRICA

No Africa overlooked by the other expedition on an 8,000-mile trek by jeep and truck from Capetown to Cairo which includes a number of side trips into the Kalahari Desert, Tanzania, Kenya, Uganda, possibly the Belgian Congo, Egyptian Sudan and Libyan desert. The group will make motion pictures of wild life and natives and especially seek antelope species for museum study collections.

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In charge of the arrangements were Miss Noel Smith, Mrs. J. E. Lane, Miss Helen Gibson, Mrs. C. S. Beals, Mrs. H. F. Lasenby, Mrs. R. S. Simpson, Mrs. W. H. Hickman, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. H. G. Shepherd, Mrs. Claude Campbell, Mrs. John Walker and Mrs. T. W. A. Gray.

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# One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

## SOMETHING FOR NOTHING

THAT EXTRAORDINARY DESIRE of people to get something for nothing lies behind the bids made every now and again in Canada to introduce a state—or at least government-sanctioned lottery.

The Irish sweepstake was held up as an example of what could be done for our hospitals in British Columbia by an up-country legislator at the recent session.

Incidentally, that universally-known gamble which lured millions who like what a painter friend of mine called "avenging a bit" has been dormant during the war.

But, war or no war, the British people found scope for their gambling instinct in other ways.

Not only in taking a 100 to 1 chance in tackling Hitler when they did. But managed a little bit on the side by way of chances on football "pools" and similar ventures.

## SNOWBALL SCHEME

BUT IT REMAINED FOR A WOMAN to capitalize on the apparently unquenchable thirst of some to "ave a bit on." A mother of five children ran a "snowball" lottery which, if it had gone on for five years, would have meant her owning £8,841,000—about \$36,000,000,000—to 147 million people!

That is the amount computed by the law—which finally caught up with her.

The 45-year-old widow of a Middlesborough blast furnace-man had "get-rich-quick" visions not only for other people but for herself as well.

So she started a lottery, offering subscribers £400 (about \$1,800) in monthly installments of £20 each for an initial payment of £60.

## NEW FORM OF "GLOBALONEY"

ON THE FACE OF IT, such a proposition looks fishy to me. But apparently a good many people thought it a sound investment.

Or were willing to take a sporting chance. For those buying shares could only be paid when she induced others to buy, too.

But when she was brought to trial at York Assizes, police said she had received £3,907 in two years, paid out £2,175, and owed £18,000!

In another 18 months, it would have been necessary for her to obtain £6 from every man, woman and child on the globe to provide the necessary funds to pay off as she promised.

## NOT HER FIRST TRY

IT WASN'T HER FIRST ATTEMPT, EITHER. In 1938 she was prosecuted and fined, and the figures were much bigger in that case. She had then employed six men, each with a car, to go around the country collecting money.

When people asked for their promised returns, she dribbled out tiny sums, sometimes 10 shillings at a time. Which brought the others in the district tumbling over each other to get into the scheme.

The tragedy of it was that they were all working people who could ill afford to lose their hard-earned savings.

And her plausible manner and plausible tongue which served her so well in inveigling the public didn't save her from a prison sentence of six months.

## BANNED IN CANADA

SUCH FLAGRANT CASES as the foregoing, of course, are comparatively rare, but the law apparently takes the view that lotteries of any kind are bad business:

A good many Canadians don't seem to have realized that lotteries, sweepstakes and raffles have been illegal for many years.

But during the war the authorities in many provinces looked the other way when raffles or lotteries were undertaken for war charities.

And much money was raised for many excellent and deserving causes through such media. But, as with everything else, abuses crept in, some of them becoming highly commercialized.

That is why, when the war ended, the authorities clamped down again and banned them. Incidentally, we heard the echo of public wailing over such cruelty in the recent session of the Legislature.

## STOCKS AND BINGO

A ONE WHO HAS, from time immemorial, purchased enough raffle tickets at bazaars and such to paper a 10-story house, I can see both sides of this question.

I certainly think the public should be protected from so-called lotteries and sweepstakes which mulct the poor just to line someone's private pocket.

But I have seen many a worthy cause advanced by raffles and similar money-making schemes. And many a church bazaar has had its "guessing contest" on somebody's cake or cushion which, after all, is another form of gambling.

And what about bingo? Where would some of our organizations be if it were not for that subtle way of extracting dimes by dangling groceries and other bait before the eyes of the bingo fans?

And what about the dear old gentlemen who do their gambling via the stock market, or the addicts of poker and even bridge?

It all comes back to the same old question—when is gambling not gambling? Perhaps you can answer it. I can't.

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Princess Maquinna is scheduled to come off her run May 14 to go into Victoria Machinery Depot Co. Ltd. for annual overhaul. Until her return to service on May 25, the C.P.R.'s B.C. Coast Services will run the Princess Norah in her stead.

Work is expected to include hull, mechanical and propeller repairs, including scraping and painting.

## Swedish Ship Due

The Swedish motorship Barnduna is scheduled to arrive at Ogden Point docks Thursday from the mainland to load lumber for Australia. Cecil Ridout, manager of King Bros. Ltd., shipping agents, said today.

## Army Firing Range

Shipmasters and mariners are warned firing will take place from an Albert Head battery daily from 7 in the morning to 5 in the evening, Pacific Standard Time, from June 1 to June 15, inclusive, according to announcement today by C. P. Edwards, deputy minister of the Dominion Department of Transport.

Vessels are forbidden to enter the danger area during the periods of firing, Mr. Edwards said.

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